26 January 1950

MEMORANDUM

TO: Chief, Contact Division

SUBJECT: Jury Duty

- 1. I have received a jury summons to appear in D. C. Criminal Court Number 1 on Tuesday, 7 February 1950. Jurors in this court, I am informed, are required to serve for at least a month, or possibly longer if sitting on a case which extends beyond that period.
- 2. My CIA assignment as necessitates constant and continuing availability. Even while on leave I can always be reached by phone in an emergency. In addition, experience has shown that any prolonged absence will adversely affect the production of this office.
- 3. It is therefore respectfully suggested that an official request be made to have my name removed from the list of prospective jurors, in the best interests of the Government.

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